SUBJECT No. 367.

Repairs to the temple at Ikkeri in the Sagar Taluk.

Mr. Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Sagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Ikkeri is a historical place; the old temple there is now in disrepair. It is prayed that steps may be taken to have the temple properly repaired and to have puja regularly performed.

Reply of Government.—The Deputy Commissioner will be requested to submit a report in the matter.

SUBJECT No. 368.

Repairing the bridge in the Hilkunji village.

Mr. C. Nagappa, Nagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Public Works Department have removed some of the stones of the old bridge and rendered it unfit for traffic. The foundations of the bridge and its pillars are strong. Over these some stone slabs have been placed. As this bridge is always required for traffic it is prayed that it may be repaired properly at an early date.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Public Works Department.

SUBJECT No. 369.

Introduction of the Gambling Act into the Shimoga District.

Mr. S. Sitaramaiya, Shimoga Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—Gambling is becoming very common in the district and it is necessary to introduce the Gambling Act.

Reply of Government.—The Police Regulation will provide for this.

SUBJECT No. 370.

A telegraph office at Sagar.

Messrs. Yagaiyana Subba Rao, Yagaiyana Krishnappa, A. Narasimiengar, Sagar Taluk and Shamanna Udapa, Shimoga District Board.

Summary of discussion.—Sagar is an important commercial place and has offices of the various departments located in it. A telegraph office in the town will be useful both to Government and to the public.

Reply of Government.—This will be considered.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

(Nos. 371 to 377.)

SUBJECT No. 371.

A Munsiff's court at Davangere or Harihar.

Messrs. Brahmappa, Davangere Municipality and Maganhalli Basappa, Davangere Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Davangere is a fairly large town of commercial importance. The major portion of civil cases filed in the Chitaldrug Munsiff's court relates to the Davangere Taluk. It is requested that a Munsiff's court may be established at Davangere or Harihar for the convenience of the litigant public.

Reply of Government.—Cannot be done.

SUBJECT No. 372.

Drinking water for Davangere.

Mr. Maganhalli Basappa, Davangere Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—As there is much difficulty for drinking water at Davangere, it may be supplied from Harihar through pipes.

Reply of Government.—Under investigation.

SUBJECT No. 373.

An anè across the Tungabhadra river.

Mr. Maganhalli Basappa, Davangere Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—To provide against drought which is of frequent occurrence in the Chitaldrug District where rainfall is scanty, it is suggested that an "Anè" may be constructed across the Tungabhadra river near Bhairanpada as it will irrigate lands for a distance of over 20 miles. If this is not found feasible, an anikat may be built at Kirigere and facilities afforded for irrigation.